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Latino Newcomers in the Rural Midwest

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We dedicate this volume to Manuel (Manny) Gonzalez, former head of the Inter-Agency Migrant Council, Family Independence Agency, State of Michigan. He inspired many researchers, volunteers, and legislators concerned with the living conditions of low-income Latino newcomers. By organizing regional and state Migrant Councils to coordinate services for migrant farmworkers, he fostered cooperation among many stakeholders in Michigan, providing a model of service and policy coordination that would be useful to those dealing with the Latinos in this book. Manny passed on from this world September 8, 2002, after participating in a march to the capitol building in Lansing, Michigan, in support of migrant farmworkers.

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